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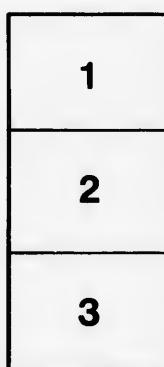
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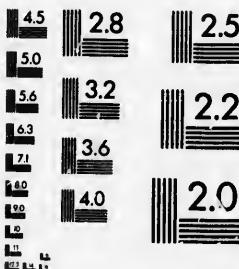
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This Pamphlet was written
in the jail of Three Rivers
by ~~Brainerd~~
who was executed there
in 1860 for the murder
of his mother etc.

Quebec January 1861

Pirsons & Bodl recuired to reprizent

William Ezra Brainerd.

In thre rivirs jail ovir sevn months

Brainer, Rainer, Binder,

Be, Williams, Web, Wil, &c.,

Liberol pepil wil reid this copi

Ive sirvd them long in a Boue Binderi

Boue pepil shoud protect thair famili

I protect them to yung posteriti

Lau and justis I'l truli reprizent

Protectin mi self with spair time wel spent

Goud douins in the anshunt famili

Haz ben neglectid bi posteriti

No more letrs uzed than giv the trusownd

Whair dubl wuns woz singl wuns air sownd

G, not uzed whair J, doz the tru sownd maic

C, doz the plais of Q, corectli taie

K, nevr uzed for it C, oftn sownd

C, iz not uzed whair S, givs corect sownd

Comensin a word E, C, S, spels X

In ani othr plais C, S, lice tec

Boucs olwa's uze S, spelin the word az

In sum othr words no such powr haz

S, iz taicin that rite from letr C

The saim powr shoud be givn to Z

Supreim I for othr letrs iz uzed

Spelin words tou wa's iz goud sense abuzed

Them that do not no wun bi the othr

Can not tel a sistr from a brothr

prizent
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r,
&c.,

8

Sum pepil ma thine I'm rong in mi mind
Such lessons az theze I nevr cou'd find
It iz the reol tru sounnd I'm spelin
No Boucs haz it dun olwa's truth telin

Rules that hav ben rite in sum pepils time
Taic rezons goud sense from the Poits rime
Sum maic rimes even othr's maic them od
Tha ma ol liv when I'm undr the sod

Sum pepil wil reid Boucs wize men did maic
Ad in nothin thinc that spirit tha taic
Dou in whot haz ben nothin ad in tou
Not wirthi of whot anshunts uzed to dou

I nevr woz idelin spair time awa
Its them that to dou hav onli to sa
Mani Boucs studid to maic a goud hed
'ts worth more now than ol I evr red

Sum woud risc life on the sparclin watr
Whair the strong wind roles the darc dredful se
Giv me the life of sum goud olde farmr
The rich fair tild soil yeilds plenti for me

Ma 'he ol wize wil from a plais that's blest
Giv mi weried sole and bodi rest
And profit be whair thair iz rogeish mite
Gide me thru the cumin darc dredful nite

Slendr bodid child spirit nise and cind
Such parents or plais I nevr cou'd find
Seul and othr bones il fait said to braic
Oftn sinse that mi life trien to taic

A yuth I woz pourli sed scould and clad
 Ive wored da's and red nites sunda's i'm sad
 Intendid rong Ive nevr said or dun
 Olwa's reol goud protectin az wun

Mani weried yeirs Ive had to rome
 Industrius and cheirful with no home
 Ive sein roges bruits and dirti beists cursin
 Pepil that air humon rezons blesin

Ive dun goud against evil deilin fair
 Nirsd the cind spirit that iz puir az air
 Sum pepil olwa's abuzin mi sole
 It iz wun the roges nevr coud controle

Justli tru and cind nevr in a fite
 I hav sirvd othrs from mornin til nite
 When I find evil or it suspishun
 I leiv the plais or chanje mi condishun

I hav maid shugr for a famili
 Sweteind butr to bi humaniti
 Heir maicin rimes for mi self and othrs
 That ma find frends whair thair iz no brotha

Goud hartid pepil Ive sein for me cri
 Wipe in the big teir from the moistind I
 Pen inc and papir iz sirvin mi hed
 Telin truth that ma liv when I am ded

Sum pepil thinc roges air saif protecshun
 Othrs thinc the chirch must be pirfecshun
 Sum wil trust iron guns that ma mis fier
 I'll trust wun that's olwa's go in h' er

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Olwa's havin sum goud object in vu
 I wil not do rong or sa whot's not tru
 The rout of evil nevr coud liv heir
 Its whair their's plenti or nothin to feir

Justis in corte iz for ol eeuol dou
 Roges nevr lice to be jusili delt tou
 Corte supreim shoud protect rite against rong
 Dou in for ol doz not help roges along

Sum pepil nevr dair tel reol truth
 No in the abuse of parents in yuth
 A corte ful of roges bi lau protectid
 Punish ol that hav not them respectid

Them that wish to swair corect just and tru
 Air shuir to ceip a goud object in vu
 Them that swair with intent to maic trubl
 Ma find thair own shair of it delt dubl

Sum thine tha do goud when tha comit crime
 Sa in it woz not rite in anshunt time
 The chirch oft'n speics of savin the sole
 Ide saiv the bodi that it doz controle

The holi corte protects humaniti
 Whair justis can liv thair's no rogeri
 Parents do thair chldrnns bodiz controle
 With pretendin goud can mirdr the sole

Them that holde welth ol othr's hav controlde
 Sli theiys air partnirs with the bludi bolde
 Sum that do nothin that powr hoz uzed
 Cirsin pepil that hav no ywn abuzed

I've traveld long in the rich prari west
 Whair mite and welth can from thair trubl rest
 Returnd to the east whair I lived a yuth
 Sum air telin li's I wil tel the truth

It iz mite that rules in the chirch and stait
 The wilde wind prouvs it iz the Boue offait
 Strong bodiz can the weic spirits smuthr
 The initi powr controles the othr

Subjeet bodiz air with the Poits rime
 Don in for othrs not gilti of crime
 Stranje bodiz soles them selvs trien to saiv
 Ma be louein for a naturol graiv

Sum cum from the east othrs from the west
 To colde canada the land tha lice best
 Stranje pepil air livin with this bodi
 Tha'v left the staits and cum to this cuntri

While sum sleep sum wore sum di in dispair
 The spirit's lice a birds wings in the air
 Want of the bodi doz ruin the sole
 Bodi givs powr for it to controle

I hope the last trubl iz now in store
 The plotrs do in that can do no more
 The bludiest site I evr did se
 Pretendin goud protects roges against me

Neir sevn yeirs sinse I hird a man sa
 British woud for me wun hundred Lbs pa
 A cuzed of shoutin mi supozed mothr
 And dredful misfortune to sum othr.

I woz in Boston wun sore^b: of juli
 Dri storm of thundr and litenin pasd bi
 Lowd thundr woz hird thair in the mornin
 Litenin not sein til lait in the evenin

Lowd canon thundrd from mornin til nite
 The fier wores liteind natures dim star lite
 Lice sum misteri or dredful asfair
 Woz on the comon not in the puir air

Sum wil thinc stranje when tha se it proclaimd
 The pirson acuzed shoud not hav ben blaimd
 Prouf heir iz furnishd bi desent pepil
 Coz woz il fait or sum disgized evil

Ive wosbd hiz thin fais Ive comed hiz long hai^r
 Nirsin and cisin him with frendl cair
 Sum woz fond of him othrs woud lice me
 Mi goud do ins tha did not lice to se

Wedid life for me Said a girl that's fre
 Wun to me in fair A farm he wil bi
 On mi nise comed hair Rich ribons I'l ti
 Telin him whot we Must for evr be

Birds togethr pair That fli thru the air
 Sum prepair a feist Then go to the preist
 Bi lau its corect Thair soles to protect
 In the wedid life Tha thinc thair's no strife

Go in to the graiv Yuth thair soles wil saiv
 Afir tha air ded Thair childrn wil wed
 Protectin them wun And ol tha hav dun
 To them selvs prouv tru Thincin ol iz nu

Soles ma olwa's liv When yung bodiz giv
Parents blesins tou Them that it wil dou
Aftir mani yeirs In trubl and feirs
With deip studi louc Thru the holi Bouc

Children that teichirs nevr can controle
Air yung bodiz lined with olde pepils sole
Olwa's supreim in thair own famili
Wil not submit in yung posteriti

Sum childrn in seoul idel time awa
Shoud lirn from othrs for a future da
Sum wore and toil to be sein richli clad
That iz whot maics sum pour olde soles go mad

Sum thine parents cair ol tha evr neid
When tha air lost it iz a los in deid
Sum to respect parents them selvs protec
When the parents gon the child iz corect

Self protectid long Ol I hav bot deir
Whair othrs do rong I'l do whots rite heir
Nevr il thinein Thair solt's I'l corect
No wun deseavin Ol that's rite protect

Deip studi bi nite Ritn in da lite
Iz whot pepil dou That othrs go tou
Ol thair sa ins wize Humon pow'r doz rize
Tiu to the maicr Gide in its taicr

Nevr trust in fait A bruit can it dou
It givs life lo rait Not az weir dun tou
Wizdom of ajez Livd uzein thair pen
Teilin fer wajez Tha wair cold wize men

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Pepil that hav uzed ol mi properti
Ma be to selfish to swair onistli
A cuze in me of crime Ive nevr dun
Sum sa I'm saif if tha'v mi muni wun

To the sole and bodi of Nansi Hird
Wcz the lauful wife of Ezra Brainerd
Hir tung woz bizi neir ol of the time
Dien words prouvd tru woud coz bludi crime

The olde woman woz not rite in hir mind
Pirhaps with sum evil spirit combind
Hir self and othrs ma hav tried to cil
Short of rezon no dowt she cep it stil

Hi,th of Ezra Brainerd neir sies sout sies
Wore in da's luvin nines idel Sunda's
Sum bruit powr with him did fondli mics
Childrn oftn in trubl on Monda's

To the memeri of Suzan Brainerd
Lauful and worthi wife of Charles Bicford
Woz a goud moth'r in a nu cuntri
The tru frend of sies hir own famili

Howse Chansi Clare bilt a fine Monument
On a wel manajed farm hiz life woz spent
No wun thair sinse himself doz reprizent
Time and colde frost the loneli plais doz rent

Izae B. Birnum fath'r for mani
Childrn, stranjrs, or them that wair ne di
In hiz own life time he woz a goud hed
Levin plenti for othrs when he's ded

Neir fort i tou yeirs of life pasd awa
 Februari twenti supozed birth da
 Wered with life it's ezi to di
 Spend time alone or on a hard bed li

Sherbrouc corte pepil not tru to the crown
 Tha haf mirdr rob and put loyols down
 Cairles pepil swairin mi life awa
 Non but bludi roges woud do it for pa

Oftn I sufr and in the nite mone
 In faintin fits life neirli gon alone
 Surownid bi pepil that brouc mi bones
 In a plais maid of bric iron and stones

Bludi bruits reseiv whot tha can not giv
 Resind spirits imprizond can not liv
 Idehrs souls roges or bruits ma liv in jail
 Whair educashun and rezon wil fail

Ive spent mani yeirs with stranjrs distrest
 We ried with eair while othrs air blest
 Suni wun frend lice in misfortunes dare mite
 Ma gide me thru the thre rivrs corte rite

Thre rivirs corte a cueir olde fashond plais
 The want of tru sense maics them deil in grais
 Tha parent lice with strong powr and mite
 Retain me to 12th Septemb'r corte nite

Suni do undr wun bi othrs controlde
 It ma ol end wel and tha puir az golde
 Dare bodiz and colde spirits rownd mi sel
 Whair colde and hungr humon fait ma tel

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With nothin to do I hav sownd no rest
 Sum livin cuiet othr thinc thar blest
 I'm do in az rezon teichiz I shoud
 Studien past and prezent creaits goud

Neir tou months I've ben trien truth to tel
 Whair druncen noiz iz mies'd with the chirch bel
 Sum air do ingoud and evil doz cum
 Bi deilin owt soud that sicens me sum

In this loneli plais I'm put to the test
 Of ol I evr dun which iz the best
 Not whot haz ben but am do in this yeir
 Mi reol life I'm reprizentin heir

The lau corte powrs I am heir to meit
 Thair doins onli I hav cep seerait
 Ol shuir it iz rong the bodi to cil
 Sum ma be redi humon blud to spil

Whair rezon and deip sownd sense iz combind
 No criminol prouf against me tha'l find
 A bludi thotles pirson wil not tel
 Whot I hav ritn in a prizon sel

I hav sein the humon spirit dien
 Ovir its self the Poits reith tien
 Fair wel to the humon rezon that's ded
 For its graiv I hav the Poits reith spred

In a prizon whair I nevr shoud be
 Bludi roges trien to haf controle me
 Tha uzein whot humon rezon doz maic
 Thair rogeish spirit othr forsed to taic

Ministir speicin to wun neir the graiv
 Woz tolde how he coud the dien soles saiv
 Bodi iz the howse whair humon soles liv
 When tha air sic propr medisin giv

Te recomendid for sole and bodi
 Goud medisin in ani famili

He touc no muni the te haz ben uzed
 Trnht I'm telin heir and no wun abuzed

I thine the Ministir did the soles saiv
 Bi ceipin a bodi owt of the graiv
 The first I evr hav sein dou in goud
 Tha oftn sa in othr pepil shoud

St Patric seventeenth of march iz meitin
 Preichin and citin with meri drincin
 Deth of olde wintr that long doz us freiz
 Spring times cumin with a charmin fine breiz

Whisci maics pepil sleip sownd in the nite
 Te and cose helps do wore bi da lite
 Pepil that get drunc them selvs do abuze
 As supreim no othr prison shoud uze

Fore yung jents actin the nobl mens part
 Sa a present from Mrs Mozez Hart
 Craers eggs beif pore cose and butr
 Pensil Pen Inc Papir te and Shugr

The first of april iz cold soulin da
 It must be the foul of souls rules that wa
 Tru rezons goud sense a soul can not maic
 Rulein spirit iz whot the subjects tajc

Montreal lost the favor from the crown
 Before the Parliment howse woz birnt down
 Govirnmint pepil to an othr town
 Men women and children in golden gown

Not comon to se twentieth of Ma
 Sno iz folin lice a colde wintirs da
 Grein leivs on the treis grein gras on the grownd
 I've nothin to louze whair nothin is sownd

Cuein Victoria Twenti foreth of Ma
 Miti powrs meit Whot haz ben repeit
 Prouvin themselvs tru Loyol onirs du
 Wun tha'v nev'r sein wil bles Inglands cuein

The Unitid Staits administrashun
 Cold on pepil from evri creashun
 Said them selvs woz thair onli salvashun
 Swollowd the irth and staryd thair own nashun

Time haz cild the parents of liberti
 Tha promisd fredom to humaniti
 Such frends az them we'l nevr find again
 Prospirin tirants hav thair childrn slain

The foreth of Juli Iz go in to di
 To it sum did pa Tribute az a da
 When tha lowd did cri For fredom or di
 Foulishli did thinc The olde world woud sine

Pepil it deseivd Mani blesins theivd
 Maid men worc and toil To bi thair own soill
 Thincin it woz rite The olde world to fito
 With ol du respect Did them selvs protest

Ol nashuns meit in Forinrs greit in
 It iz sirprizin The olde world rizin
 Ruind libirti Starvd the famili
 Foreth of juliidde It uzed to be hed

Prouvin to pepil whot must be thair fait
 Them selvs bi in it now at the saim rait
 Its mite rules othrs in thair famili
 Its justis to rule them in this cuntri

Sun thine public votes saif for them to ride
 Tha'l find thair mistaic bi the monarc's side
 Them that hav olwa's controlde on the irth
 Air the govirnmint by naturol birth

Hed spirit this bolde aje colder than sno
 I thinc it livd tou thowzan yeirs ago
 Mite in bludi bat'l must win the fite
 Nite and da shows welth and parliment rite.

Povirti sirvs welth wek. sirvs parliment
 Nothin without militari consent
 Miti militari powr iz fair

Rules of irth and se eils. birds in the air

I GIV THIS REPORTE OF THRE RIVRS CORTE

DISGIZED ROGES FAILIN TO DO AZ THA WOUD
 APEILED TO LAU THAIR EVIDENSE COLD GOUD

Thre rivrs Corte Canada Septembr 12th 1860

Witnis

I giv this reporte Of thre rivrs corte
 Humon rezon cild Roges powr to bild
 Lau

Disgized roges failin to do az tha wond
 Apeild to lau thair evidense cold goud

Juri

The intelijent louein juri men
 Ruled bi the spirit of a robrs den

Juj

A subject ruled bi the saim bruit powr
 Mazured time and ordird bludi mirdr

Priznir

Spirits of ajez iz this bodiz sole
 Nothin but rezons goud sense to controle

In Jail

Spirits from the ded Heir gidein me stil
 The truth I hav spred Maid bi olwize Wil

Holi Corte, Nu America, Juj Wil

